

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COMMISSION DIRECTIVE**

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER ☐DATE May 08, 2019MOTOR CARRIER MATTER ☐DOCKET NO. 2018-82-SUTILITIES MATTER ☒ORDER NO. 2019-344

THIS DIRECTIVE SHALL SERVE AS THE COMMISSION'S ORDER ON THIS ISSUE.

SUBJECT:

DOCKET NO. 2018-82-S - Application of Palmetto Wastewater Reclamation, LLC for Adjustment of Rates and Charges - Staff Presents for Commission Consideration the Notice to Be Provided to Palmetto Wastewater Reclamation, LLC's Customers Related to the Commission's Decision on May 1, 2019.

COMMISSION ACTION:

The document on the screen in front of you and displayed to the audience is a notice which I propose that Palmetto Wastewater Reclamation include as a bill insert informing its customers of the newly approved rates. I also move that the Commission direct Palmetto Wastewater to include the notice as a bill insert at the time that the rates go into effect. The Company shall file with the Commission a proof of the notice so that it may be reviewed by Staff for legibility.

PRESIDING: RandallSESSION: Regular

TIME: 11:00 a.m.

	MOTION	YES	NO	OTHER
BELSER	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Recused</u>
ERVIN	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
HAMILTON	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
HOWARD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
RANDALL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
WHITFIELD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
WILLIAMS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

(SEAL)

RECORDED BY: J. Schmieding

Notice Regarding the Public Service Commission's Decision in Order No. 2019-314

Docket No. 2018-82-S: Application of Palmetto Wastewater Reclamation, LLC for Adjustment of Rates and Charges

On November 6, 2019, Palmetto Wastewater Reclamation, LLC ("the Company") filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("the Commission"). In its Application, the Company requested that the Commission approve an adjustment in its monthly sewer service rates for residential and commercial customers, and modifications to certain terms and conditions for the provision of sewer services. The Company requested an increase in revenues of \$615,797.

The Commission held a hearing on the Company's Application on April 8, 2019. On May 1, 2019, based on the evidence in this case, the Commission approved an increase in revenues of \$327,548. A copy of the Commission Directive can be found here:

<https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Attachments/Matter/3eef4434-93df-484c-affc-59004316af00>

A breakdown of a customer's sewer rates can be found as follows:

Sewer Service	Current Rate	Proposed Rates	Commission Approved Rate
Residential (Flat Rate)	\$34.50	\$41.18	\$37.92
Residential – Mobile Home (Flat Rate)	\$25.75	\$30.74	\$28.30
Commercial (per SFE*)	\$34.50	\$41.18	\$37.92

*SFE – (Single Family Equivalent) Determined by using SC Department of Health and Environmental Control Guidelines for Unit Contributory Loadings for Domestic Wastewater Treatment Facilities